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This sale will be in effect only for the present week, beginning December 27th.

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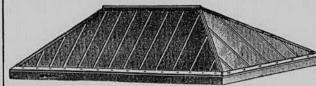
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PERSONAL.

S. E. Morris, of Bluefield, spent yes terday in the city

W. J. Wright, of Bedford county, was in the city yesterday.

R. H Woodrum made a brief business trip to Buchanan yesterday.

R. G. H. M. Kean, of Lynchburg, was in the city last night.

Thomas Cofer and wife, of Fincastle, are in the city visiting relatives.

M. V. Lucado, of Graham, was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

E. Hibarger returned yesterday from visit to relatives at Hagerstown. Miss Nannie Thaxton, of Belford county, is in the city visiting frient.

Judge Waller R. Staples, of Christiansburg, is in the city visiting rela-Rev. R. C. Anderson went to Clover-

dale yesterday to spend last night with friends.

Harry N. Day left yesterday to visit his old home in Lexington for a short

George T. Munford, a prominent capitalist of Stuart, Va., was in the city yesterday. Mrs. I. E Boone has gone to Alle-

ghaney Sprin s to visit her parents for a few days. Sam Wa'strum returned yesterday

morning from a visit to his mo her n Richmond. W A. B axton left yesterday to visit his old home in Appointant county for

a fow weeks. Several young men from this city attended a private hop last night in Rocky Mount.

Mrs. Z. Flick, wife of Policeman Flick, left yesterday for Eigton, Va., to visit relatives.

R. C. McLeod, of the State auditor's office, Richmond, is visiting his sister, Mrs. D. B. Morner.

Miss Cora Board, assistant teacher in the High school, is in Franklin county visiting relatives.

James Naff, of Salem, passed through the city yesterday en route to Franklin county to visit relatives.

Elijah Shepperson, of Rich x ond, is visiting his cousin, Mrs. C. W. Butler, 702 Bullitt avenues. c. Jack Walthall left yesterday to spend

l'atrick counties on a hunting expedition. Miss Eula Evans, one of Floyd county's most popular young ladies, is in the city visiting friends.

Miss Mattie Shelor, of Bent Mountain, is visiting Mrs. E A Francis, on eventh avenue southwest.

Harry L. Tansill, formerly of Roanoke, now of Huntington, W. Va., is in the city for a few days.

R F. Wingfield, mailing clerk on the road between Lyechburg and Nor-folk, was in the city yesterday.

R Maucher, bookkeeper at the Virtima licewery, is spending a few days with relatives in Louisa county.

E J. Phelps, with the Fishburse Tobacco Works, went to Richmond yesterday in the interest of that firm

Bruce Hunt, law stenographer for Scott & Staples, left yesterday for Patrick county to spend a week hunt D. H. Barger, superintendent of the

Kenova division of the Norfolk and Western railroad, was in the city yesterday. Harry Gilmore, formerly connected with the McDowell Recorder, is very sick at the residence of his parents on

Eightn avenue s w. Charles L. Dillon, of Franklin county, passed through the city yesterday, en route to his home, after a pleasant visit to relatives in Lynchburg.

J. W. Funkhouser, clerk at the Ponce

de Leon hotel, returned yesterday after noon from Harrisonburg, where he spent several days with relatives. Capt M. E. Kidd, section foreman on the Chesapeake and Onio railroad at Buchannan, is quite ill at the residence of his son-in law, R. C. Davis, on West

Campbell street. Joseph Carper and E. C. Woodward, of Washington, and E. N. Trainham, of Richmond, all formerly of the Stone Printing and Manufacturing Company, are in the city visiting their many triends.

friends Ernest Simpson, of First avenue n. w., had the misfortune to injure his arm. He fell from a wagon, and the

wheel passed over him. Dr. C. G. Cannaday rendered the necessary surgical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheen, of Knoxvile, Tenn., are in the city visiting the family of Mr. Bowman, the baker, on Commerce street. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McKechnie, of Boston, Mass., are also visiting the same family.

Mrs. Tom Thumb'e Company.

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Fred Hitchcock, business manager of Mrs. Gen. Tom Thumb and her company of Liliputians, is in the city, and secured a date at the Academy of Music for New Year's. The wonderful little people will also give a special matinee at 2:15, appearing during their engagement here in their new musical extravaganza, "The Rivals," and "Gulliver Aurong the Liliputians," introducing Mrs. Gen. Tom Thumb, Count Magri, Baron Magri and the smallest and most versatile little actors and actresses in existence. Mrs. Thumb is now the Countess Magri, having married the count some years ago. There are ten people in the company, giving a refined entertainment, concluding with an electric cosmorama, costing the management. \$5,000 giving you the an electric cosmorama, costing the management \$5,000, giving you the World's Fair at home, with all the principal features, by over two hundred

HUSTINGS COURT,

Case of the Anheuser-Busch Company vs Nicholas & Woodward on Trial.

In the Hustings Court yesterday the case of the Anheuser-Busch Biewing Company vs. Nicholas & Woodward Company vs. Nicholas & "Woodward was begun. The plaintiff brought suit for about \$4.700 alleged to be due them. There is no dispute as to the amount, but the controversy grew out of what was known in this city about two years ago as the beer war. About the time too Virginia Brewery was opened, the Aancuser-Busch Company undertook to break them down by underselling them, and reduced the price of beer from \$9 to \$4 per barrel.

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Nicholas & Woodward were the agents for the Anheuser-Busch Company and sold the beer at the same rate it was put to them. The defendants claim that the Anheuser Busch Company in consideration that they carried on the fight against the Virginia Browing Company would be reimbursed for all their trouble and expenses and losses.

The war lasted about eleven months and the defendants claim an offset of about \$3,600. The plaintiff denies the contract as stated by Nicholas & Woodward. The case will be concluded this

contract as stated by Nicholas & Wood-ward. The case will be concluded this morning. Smith and King represent the plaintiffs and Penn & Cocke and T. W. Miller the defense. To-day the case of McClure & Ainsler vs. the Roanoke Iron Company will be called. McClure & Ainsler were the contractors who erected the furnace, after which they fill d. mechanic's lien

after which they filed a mechanic's lien to secure the r for between \$28,000 and \$30,000 which they alleged was due then The company claimed that the work was not done according t. con-tract, and that the contractors did not have it completed as the time specified and that the damage they sustained would more than cover the amount they ow d the contractors. The case is one of great importates. The case is one of great importates, and a large number of witnesses are in the city from Pittsburg. Scott & Staples represent the plaintiff, and Watts. Robertson & Robertson and R. G. H. Kean, of Lynchburg, the defendants.

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